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We offer for a few days a large
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Ladies, call and see them.

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MEAT MARKET
No. 162 South Main.

In making your purchases for the table, re-
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BEST OF EVERYTHING
In Our Line.

Kindergarten.
Monday p.m. 1:30 o'clock, April 18th.
North Main street. Terms, 50 cents
each. Two or more children from one
family reduced rates.
Mrs. W. J. Brown, Pres.
Miss Mary Ann Gentry, Ass't.
Pensions.
J. H. Young, Jr., will be found at his
office, Dr. Sibley on March 27, ready
to receive applications for pensions and for
other matters.
W. A. Jones, proprietor of the restau-
rant on South Water street, opposite the
court house, is prepared to furnish good
dinner meals for 25 cents. Farmers and
others are requested to call and give the
place a trial.

Meeting.
The Central Illinois Branch of the
Woman's Missionary Society of the
United Brethren church will meet Thurs-
day, April 14th, at 9 o'clock a.m. in the
United Brethren church in this city.
Mrs. L. K. Kieffer, corresponding sec-
retary of Woman's Missionary Society, will
be present and lecture in the evening.
All are invited.
Mrs. R. V. Trueblood, Pres.

Opening of summer term of the Mus-
ical College on April 18th. Apply as ear-
ly as possible for admission. Corner
Main and William streets. apr-27w

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DINGES & COOP.
WEDNESDAY EVE., APRIL 13, 1887.

LOCAL NEWS.

MAJOLICA WARE—Special bargains in
this line of ware at
E. D. BARTHOLOMEW & Co.
Telephone D. 100. apr12-dlf
The flour you want is White Flour. It
is sold by all leading grocers.
Buy supplies for the table at Nieder-
meyer's grocery store on the Mound.
Bent Kest was taken to the Pontiac
Reform School by Tom Cook yesterday.
Dingess & Coop think they have a cor-
ner on coffee. See their adv. 13-14
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SOLD FOR \$100,000.

V. Barber's 48 Acres Just North
of the City.

There is no let-up to the real estate
boom. It goes bravely on, and large
blocks of land change hands daily.
There are more to follow.
This forenoon Mr. V. Barber sold his
48 acres of fine high ground in section 3,
town 16, range 3 east, on the Bloom-
ington road, just north of the Peoria, De-
catur & Evansville railroad. The land is
south of the E. A. Jones place. The
purchasers are William Traver, Henry F.
May and S. Davis May, who paid \$10,000
for the land, an average of about \$208.30
per acre.
It is the purpose of Mr. Traver and
the May Brothers to have the 48 acres
platted and the town lots placed on the
market immediately.

Sales of Real Estate.
Henry S. Evans to D. S. Shellbarger
and W. L. Ferguson, lot on West Main
street, \$450 cash.
R. R. Montgomery and Frank Shull to
Hattie F. Pettyjohn lot 7 in block 2,
Montgomery & Shull's 1st addition, \$165.
A. Crowder and James T. Roberts to
O. E. and Frank Curtis, lot 19 in Crowder
& Roberts' addition, \$250.
Same to Harry C. Hord, lot 10 in block
8, Higgins' addition, \$325.
Silus Packard to W. H. Starr and I. R.
Mills, 40 acres in 23, 16, 2, \$16,000.
E. F. Delbridge to William Moss, 80
acres in 17, 14, 1, Pleasant View township,
\$3,000.
I. M. Cornthwaite to Lewis E. Foster,
lots 9, 10 and 11 in block 2, Carver's ad-
dition, \$400.
Lynn E. Hawkins to Rodney C.
Hawkins, tract of land in section 10,
Oakley township, \$325.
P. H. Bruck to C. M. Imboden and
Charles M. Allison, lots 4 to 8 inclusive,
in Bruck's new addition, \$1250.
A. S. Crowder sold yesterday for S. E.
Walker to Fred B. Henderson, lot 9 in
Crowder & Roberts' addition, \$175. Also
for same to Robert Mitchell, lot 8 in same
addition, \$175.
It would cost about \$20,000 to put the
L. D. & S. road through Decatur on the
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whose sole object it will be to look after
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times. Save all the railroads for Decatur
and get more factories.
Yesterday John A. Brown offered
\$1000 for a lot in Decatur that sold four
years ago for \$400. The offer was re-
fused. Mr. Brown was offered \$700 for a
lot he bought several years ago for \$175.
He will not sell.

Dramatic.
Last night the Bayne-Davis Ideal Com-
pany presented "The Octoroon" in good
shape before an audience of fair size.
To-night the play will be "The Ticket
of Leave Man," a story of life in London,
in five acts. Mr. Burton will personate
Bob Brierly and Miss Burton will play
the role of May Edwards. Let the hall
be packed. Matinee Saturday afternoon.

First Ward.
Alderman Whitel is announced in to-
day's paper for re-election as alderman
from the first ward. Mr. Whitel has
served his neighbors to their entire sat-
isfaction for two years in the council, and
that he would make as good a represen-
tative for another term as uncertainty that
is not necessary to discuss.

Randolph & Gher's Bulletin.
55 feet on W. Macon street, well im-
proved, for \$1250.
Two new dwellings of 5 rooms each,
for \$1750 a-piece.
80 feet on N. Water street, house of 5
rooms, for \$2500.
6 1/2 acres of land on W. Marietta street,
for \$5000, nice and high.
New house on E. North street, splendid
place, for \$875.
House with 4 rooms on E. North street,
for \$1000; can be bought on monthly
payments.
Lot 4x112 with house of 4 rooms, on
North Union street, for \$950.
3 lots on W. Wood street, 43x120 feet
each, price \$350 a-piece.
House with 3 rooms, lot 60 feet front,
for \$800, terms to suit.
105x300 feet on N. Water street, for
\$750; nice lots.
Nice lot on W. Macon street, fenced,
tilled and walk in front, for \$500.
Parties wishing to buy or sell phone
call at our office, as we have a large list
of desirable property for sale or trade, at
124 N. Water street.

The railway boys have a good joke on
affable John Larnish, conductor on the
P. D. & E. Ry., but they won't put the
reporters on to the racket. It is learned
however that parties down the road put
up an Easter egg on John, and since the
Conductor got the gift he has heard of
little else but prunes.

If you have a cold, cough, bronchitis,
or any other form of throat or lung dis-
ease, do not neglect it. Ayer's Cherry
Pectoral, if promptly taken, will speedily
relieve and cure all ailments of this char-
acter.
For Sale.
Fine residence property on West Wil-
liam street, 80 feet front, about 7 rooms,
inside blinds, well, cistern, gas, sewer,
hot and cold bath, closets, all modern
conveniences, large barn containing stalls
for four horses, and room for four bug-
gies, and a cow, and a chicken house,
brook walks, brick driveway, coal sheds,
grape arbor, walks and fences, all in good
repair. This property is worth \$5,000,00,
but will be sold for two or three thousand
less if sale is made at once. Call on
Montgomery & Shull, 141 East Main St.
12-11w
Half-Rates
At the Business College during the
spring and summer terms.
Tuition issued by the month or quarter.
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CATARRH, when chronic, becomes very
offensive. It is impossible to be other-
wise healthy, and at the same time
afflicted with catarrh. This disagreeable
disease, in its most obstinate and dan-
gerous form, can be cured by the use of
Ayer's Sarsaparilla.

A Car Load of Bargains.
We have bought large quantities of
merchandise at the Bankrupt Sale of the
great Dry Goods house of Shipley, Doyce
& Co., Chicago, and the stock was sold at
about one-half actual value we secured
our full share, and propose to let our
patrons and the people of Decatur and
vicinity enjoy the benefit of our fortu-
nate investment. Conspicuous among
this first shipment you will find an ele-
gant line of Dress Goods, Ladies' and
Men's Furnishing Goods, Gingham,
Prints, Table Linens, Cram, Towels, etc.,
etc. Come early, price and inspect.
Big 12 1/2 CENTS A YARD.
J. Moritz & Co.
11-dw1
For a good, cheap suit—why, examine
Chapman's stock. dw

T. D. Shay, of Prairie Home, Shelby
county, was in the city to-day, trying to
find information that would lead to the
discovery of the whereabouts of his mis-
sing sister, Miss Emma Shay, who is 36
years of age. She had been at Abing-
don, Knox county, this state, two years,
staying with her aunt, and had started
for Prairie Home on March 24. She was
traced to Peoria, and from that point on
the P. D. & E. train to the Union depot in
Decatur, where she was last seen by a
street car driver who asked her if she
wanted to come up town. It is known
from what she said to Conductor Page on
the train that she intended going to
Walker Station, south of Decatur, to
visit two sisters residing near that place.
Here all trace is lost. No tidings of her
can be found. Mr. Shay is very much
distressed. He would be glad to receive
any information that would lead to her
discovery. It is a very mysterious case.
The lady was in her right mind and well
when she left Abingdon.

Moffett-Denny.
A copy of the New West, published at
Cimarron, Kansas, of April 7th, is before
us. It contains the following matrimo-
nial item:
Mr. John B. Moffett and Miss Eva
Denny were married at the home of the
bride's parents, Cimarron, Kansas,
Wednesday evening, March 30, 1887.
Rev. D. S. Donegan, of Dodge City, offi-
ciating. Mr. Moffett is one of Dodge
City's most promising young attorneys,
an lawyer in winning. The New West
wishes the young couple a world of hap-
piness and a life of prosperity.
The groom is a son of Hon. and Mrs.
W. T. Moffett, of Blue Mound township.
He read law in the office of Cren & Ewing,
and is located at Dodge City, where he
has a lucrative practice and a pleasant
home.

PERSONAL MENTION.
B. Stine, the clothier, is in Chicago
this week.
W. E. Horne arrived to-day at the Hot-
el Brunswick from Bloomington.
Mrs. W. B. Chambers departed last
evening for St. Louis on a visit to friends.
Mrs. Jesse Yokum and son, Will, re-
turned to their home in Platt county to-
day.
Miss Clara Irwin entertained the mem-
bers of the Qu. Live Literary Society at
the United College last night.
Mrs. S. S. Jack and son, Cecil, de-
parted for Philadelphia, Pa., to
visit relatives for several weeks.
Miss Anne Lavin has gone to Garden
City, Kansas, where her parents, Mr. and
Mrs. N. Lavin, reside.
David Brown and Leo Heblman, the
musicians, will go to Taylorville on Fri-
day to participate in a concert.
J. N. Fuller is enjoying a visit from his
daughter, Miss May Fuller, of Topeka,
Kansas.
Mr. and Mrs. Thomas A. Prickett, of
Springfield, have been in their farm near
Decatur several days.
Hiram Ward, of Wheeland, was in
town last evening. He says his successor
as supervisor of the school, is a first-
class man and will make a good official.

G. M. Reed, of West Point, Neb., and
Miss Bess Dillon, daughter of Dr. Wm.
Dillon, will be united in marriage this
evening at the family residence.
Mrs. H. F. May departed this morning
for Dodge City, Kansas, to attend the
funeral of her uncle, Mr. Webster, who
died at the residence of Mr. W. W. May in
Decatur about four weeks ago, on his
way home from Chicago, where he had
bought water works and electric light en-
gines for Dodge City. He was 42 years
of age and was afflicted with rheumatism.
Mr. S. P. McLean, of the Kankakee
Gazette, was the victim of a first of April
surprise that was no fool of a joke. In the
evening a basket containing a rosy-
cheeked cherub was left at his door. He
took it in and found a note pinned to the
basket, saying that the infant was of
superb parentage, and that it was
hoped that Mr. and Mrs. McLean would
care for the waif as if it was their own.
The foster parents are overjoyed
at their good luck. They have no child-
ren. Mr. McLean will be remembered
by many Decatur people. He was for-
merly on the Herald in daily search of
"waddins," as he used to style news items.

Off for Dakota.
The Rev. J. R. Locke will leave in a
few days for Central Dakota. During
the past few months Mr. Locke has suf-
fered more than usual from a dis-
ability which he received during his three
years' service in the late war, and he
thinks that he will be benefited by a
few weeks' stay in the invigorating at-
mosphere of that section of the country.
He wishes the REPUBLICAN to follow him.

Must Go Through.
The company organized to build the
extension of the Indianapolis, Decatur &
Springfield road to the Mississippi river
at Quincy, are shaping up matters to be-
gin the surveys at once. If the parties
who are to negotiate the bonds of the
road are now set, and are meeting with
good encouragement. The fact is that
the road must be extended or drop down
to doing only local business, and on this
the earnings of the I. D. & S. proper will
not pay operating expenses and fixed
charges, so says the Indianapolis Jour-
nal. It is said that the road can be put
through Decatur for \$15,000 or \$20,000
on the north side of the Wah

